



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 02356-0014-09000

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: )  
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Luc MONTAGNIER et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1648  
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Application No.: 08/470,489 ) Examiner: Parkin, J.  
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Filed: June 6, 1995 ) Confirmation No.: 7501  
)  
For: RETROVIRUS CAPABLE OF )  
CAUSING AIDS, MEANS AND )  
METHOD FOR DETECTING IT *IN* )  
*VITRO* )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**SUBMISSION OF REPLACEMENT DRAWINGS**

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please replace the drawings in the above-identified application with the seven sheets of drawings filed herewith (Figures 1-9). If the replacement drawings for any reason are not in full compliance with the pertinent statutes and regulations, please so advise the undersigned.

If any fees are necessary for the submission of these formal drawings, please charge our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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